Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 11 Nov 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 12 Nov 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 11 Nov 2021 at 04:11 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for general developments until Sunday, then Low. Medium for cloud details.

Headline for Thursday 11 Nov 2021: Cloudy with patchy light rain, but brighter in the east. Heavy rain and summit gales later in the evening.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 11 Nov 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Fog	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Light rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability					
50%	30%	20%	20%	60%	70%

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Weather: Mainly dry in the morning with any patchy light rain and drizzle around Ben Lawers and the west soon dying out. Some brighter spells developing, the best of these over the Aberdeenshire and Angus hills, before patchy light rain develops later in the afternoon, the rain becoming heavy and persistent towards midnight. Winds also strengthening later in the day.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40%, best chance around the middle of the day.

Visibility: Often good or very good lower down, but moderate in rain. Poor or very poor at times at height, extensive cloud with bases 600 to 900m, but could be near or above the summits around the middle of the day.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	27/31 W	21/25 W	14/18 S	21/26 S	30/37 S	36/44 SE	42/52 S
900	19/23 W	14/18 W	12/16 S	14/19 S	23/30 S	24/32 SE	30/40 S
600	12/20 W	8/13 W	4/8 SW	6/12 S	13/24 S	15/26 SE	20/34 S
300	4/13 W	1/6 W	2/5 NE	5/9 S	6/15 SE	7/18 SE	12/27 SE
Glen	7/17 W	2/6 SW	2/5 E	3/6 SE	4/9 E	10/24 SE	13/29 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	1/-6	1/-5	2/-3	2/-4	3/-4	3/-5	3/-4
900	3/-3	3/-2	4/-0	4/-0	4/-1	4/-1	5/-1
600	5/1	5/2	6/4	6/3	5/1	6/2	7/2
300	7/5	6/5	8/7	8/6	7/5	8/6	9/6
Glen	8/6	6/6	8/8	9/8	7/6	8/6	10/7
Freezing Level*	1300m	1200m	1400m	1400m	1900m	2000m	2000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing further to add.

Forecast for Friday 12 Nov 2021
Weather: Cloudy and overcast with outbreaks of rain and drizzle, heavy and persistent overnight and during the morning. The rain and drizzle turning lighter in the afternoon, some drier spells in the evening.

Maximum wind: South or Southeast 30 to 35mph gusts 50mph overnight and early morning.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Nil. Extensive cloud, base 600 to 900m, lowering 300m or less at times.

Visibility: Often poor or very poor at height with navigational difficulties. Occasionally moderate or good lower down.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 7 to 12 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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